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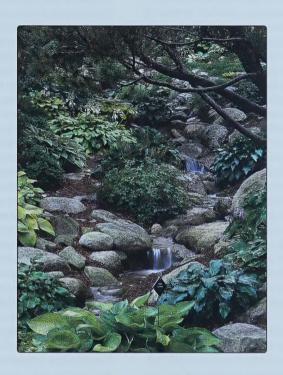
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# A year of challenge, opportunity and change

In 1999, the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station at Michigan State University continued its commitment to agricultural and natural resources research to meet the needs of the people of Michigan.

- \*\*Budget issues are always challenging, but the MAES's reliance on strategic planning allowed for a productive year.
- » To complete its administrative team, the MAES hired Janet Bokemeier, a noted rural sociologist, and Gary Lemme, a nationally recognized agronomist, as associate directors.

A sociology researcher at MSU since 1991, Bokemeier had been serving as half-time assistant director with special responsibility for the behavioral sciences since 1996. She is considered among the top rural sociologists in the nation in the study of the intersection of gender, work and family in rural America.

Lemme had been professor and head of the West Central Research and Outreach Center at the University of Minnesota since 1992. During that time he also coordinated the Minnesota Fusarium Head Blight Initiative, a cooperative initiative with the state's wheat and barley growers to develop research and outreach to address this disease.

The MAES now has the strength and diversity of interests to address the broad mission of the MAES. The MAES research agenda has expanded greatly in the past few years; the MAES is extremely fortunate to have a multidisciplinary team that can act quickly and decisively on a wide range of research issues.

\*\* Project GREEEN (Generating Research and Extension to meet Economic and Environmental Needs), a cooperative effort by plant-based commodities and businesses and MSU to address long-term research and extension needs in the Michigan plant industries, funded a number of projects in 1999, including education and research on pesticide/integrated pest management (IPM), disease control, marketing and economics of fruit and vegetables, field crops, Christmas trees, value-added products and ornamental plants and flowers. There was a good balance of research and outreach projects, and the MAES thanks the chairpersons, faculty members and industry representatives who served as project reviewers for their time and constructive reviews.

Plant agriculture and processing industries asked MSU for rapid, integrated work that developed and implemented improved management programs to increase profitability while reducing undesirable environmental impacts and improving food safety. To meet this request, Project GREEEN funded the restructuring of several entities on campus in 1999. The Pesticide Research Center became the Center for Integrated Plant Systems (CIPS). Its mission is to develop, evaluate, integrate and extend knowledge about ecologically based integrated crop management (ICM) policies, strategies, tactics and tools. MSU Diagnostic Services was created from three

agricultural diagnostic services
— the Plant and Pest Diagnostic
Clinic, the Arthropod Diagnostic
Clinic and the Nematode
Diagnostic Services Laboratory.
The range of services has been
expanded and Diagnostic
Services lab space has been
renovated. The MSU Agricultural
Weather Office (MSUAWO) now
is jointly sponsored by the
MAES, MSU Extension, the MSU



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Department of Geography and the Michigan Department of Agriculture Climatology Division. Selections on its Web site <a href="http://www.agweather.geo.msu.edu">http://www.agweather.geo.msu.edu</a> are provided by MSUAWO and the National Weather Service. Access to National Weather Service data and products is made possible through an agreement with UNIDATA/University Corporation for Atmospheric Research in Boulder, Colo.

Project GREEEN has a Web site that provides the latest information on projects and services. The address is <a href="http://www.greeen.msu.edu">http://www.greeen.msu.edu</a>>.

- » Tuberculosis in Michigan's deer and cattle populations became a source of great concern in 1999. MSU is working with state partners including the Department of Natural Resources, the Department of Agriculture and the Department of Community Health to establish research and educational programs to help address the issues surrounding this problem.
- \*\*\* The Families and Communities Together (FACT)
  Coalition was created when the Coalition for Children, Youth and Families and Communities (CYFC) was restructured and refocused. FACT is a multidisciplinary coalition of MAES researchers, MSU faculty members, MSU Extension staff members from on campus and around the state, and professionals from community organizations such as government agencies and foundations. It is funded by the MAES, MSU Extension and the Office of the Provost. The purpose of the FACT Coalition is to facilitate research and outreach efforts that meet the needs of Michigan families, foster innovative collaboration between MSU and communities, and support and develop the capacity of communities to serve their citizens.
- \*\* The Upper Peninsula Experiment Station, in Chatham, celebrated its 100th anniversary Aug. 6–7, 1999, with special field days on current crop and animal production and open houses at the station. The station was created in 1899 with a donation of 160 acres from the Lake Superior and Ishpeming Railroad and a \$5,000 grant from the Michigan Legislature. Today, the station's focus is forages and alternative crops. The dairy and beef herds are used to evaluate various forages or forage systems for those that are best suited to the Upper Peninsula.

In college and departmental personnel matters in 1999, J. Ian Gray, associate vice provost and director of the MAES, was named interim vice provost. He took over the vice provost duties of Fred Poston, who left the office of vice provost and dean of the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources after being named interim vice president for finance and operations and treasurer. (Poston was subsequently appointed to this position permanently.) William Taylor, chairperson of the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife, was named acting dean of the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources. Tom Coon, MAES fisheries and wildlife researcher, was named acting chairperson of the Department of Fisheries and Wildlife

Kenneth Corey, dean of the College of Social Science, was named senior research adviser to the vice president for research and graduate studies, as well as a professor in the Department of Geography. Philip R. Smith, associate dean of the College of Social Science, was named acting dean.

C. Gerald Haarer, director of the Land Management Office (LMO) for 20 years, retired. Chuck Reid, associate director of the LMO, was named acting director. The MAES will miss Jerry's commonsense approach to management and is delighted that Chuck is the acting director.

The Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources Education and Communication Systems (ANRECS) was formed from the merger of three units: the Department of Agricultural and Extension Education, Outreach Communications and ANR Computer Services. Kirk Heinze, acting chairperson of the Department of Agriculture and Extension Education, was named acting chairperson of ANRECS. The department is searching for a permanent chairperson.

Gus de Zoeten, chairperson of the Department of Botany and Plant Pathology, stepped down from that position. Ray Hammerschmidt, MAES scientist, was named acting chairperson.

Boyd Ellis, chairperson of the Department of Crop and Soil Sciences, retired. Taylor Johnston was named acting chairperson.

Richard Groop was named chairperson of the Department of Geography after Rene Hinojosa stepped down. Groop remains director of the Center for Remote Sensing and Geographic Information Science.

Edward Mather was named acting director of the National Center for Food Safety and Toxicology after Robert Hollingworth stepped down to return to the faculty.

Thomas Conner was named chairperson of the Department of Sociology after Christopher Vanderpool stepped down and returned to the faculty. Vanderpool also has an appointment in the National Center for Food Safety and Toxicology.

The Department of Pathology was restructured and all MAES faculty members now have appointments in the

Department of Veterinary Pathology. Willie Reed is the interim chairperson of the department.

Larry Olson, who was facilitator of the Plant Coalition, returned to the faculty of the Department of Entomology and is on special assignment as Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service interim national program leader for pesticide applicator training in Washington, D.C.

The MAES thanks all department chairpersons and unit heads for their commitment and dedication to the MAES mission

- \*\* The Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service (CSREES) completed its review of the MSU departments of Food Science and Human Nutrition, Animal Science and Botany and Plant Pathology in late 1998. All reviews were satisfactory. The Department of Crop and Soil Sciences will be reviewed in 2000. The reviews are important as we prepare departments to meet the challenges of the next decade. They also are used for faculty position planning.
- \*\* The MAES continues to enjoy a productive and strong working relationship with many commodity and processor groups and government agencies. In 1999, the MAES was pleased to help sponsor the first nursery and landscape field day at the Horticulture Teaching and Research Center on campus. The success of MAES programs is based on the closeness of these relationships.
- » A two-day grant-writing workshop sponsored by the MAES and the Office of the Vice President for Research and Graduate Studies and coordinated by Frank D'Itri, MAES researcher, attracted more than 60 participants, even though the initial plan was to limit attendance to 50. The authors of the four best draft proposals each received \$2,000 grants.
- \*\* The new millennium will offer new opportunities and challenges for the citizens of Michigan. By gathering input from our stakeholders, the MAES will be poised to assist the state in meeting these agricultural, natural resources, and social and behavioral science needs in 2000 and beyond.

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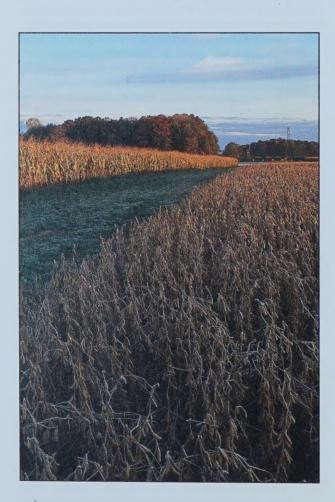
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**Bruce R. Harte**, Director School of Packaging

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**William S. Spielman**, Chairperson Physiology

**Kenneth Keegstra**, Director MSU-DOE Plant Research Laboratory

**Richard E. Groop**, Director Center for Remote Sensing

**Cynthia C. Fridgen**, Chairperson Resource Development

**Thomas L. Conner**, Chairperson Sociology

**Willie M. Reed**, Interim Chairperson Veterinary Pathology

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Thiem, Suzanne	Entomology
Thomashow, Michael F.	Crop and Soil Sciences
Thomashow, Michael F.	Microbiology
Tiedje, James M.	Microbiology
Tiedje, James M.	Crop and Soil Sciences
Trail, Frances	Botany and Plant Pathology
Triezenberg, Steven J.	Biochemistry
Trottier, Nathalie	Animal Science
Tucker, H. Allen	Animal Science
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Food Science and Human Nutrition

Animal Science

Ustunol, Zeynep

VandeHaar, Michael

NAME	DEPARTMENT
Vanderpool, Christopher K.	Sociology
Vander Stoep, Gail A.	Park, Recreation and Tourism Resources
Van Ee, Gary R.	Agricultural Engineering
van Nocker, Steven R.	Horticulture
van Ravenswaay, Eileen O.	Agricultural Economics
Vargas, Joseph M., Jr.	Botany and Plant Pathology
Velicer, Leland F.	Microbiology
von Bernuth, Robert D.	Agricultural Engineering
Walker, Edward D.	Entomology
Walker, Rosemary A.	Family and Child Ecology
Walters, Michael B.6	Forestry
Walton, Jonathan D.	Plant Research Laboratory
Wang, John L.	Biochemistry
Ward, Richard W.	Crop and Soil Sciences
Warncke, Darryl D.	Crop and Soil Sciences
Watson, J. Throck	Biochemistry
Weatherspoon, Dave D.	Agricultural Economics
Weber, Michael T.	Agricultural Economics
Weber, Miriam S.	Animal Science
Whims, Fred R.	ANR Education and Communication Systems
Whipple, Judith M.	Agricultural Economics
Widders, Irvin E.	Horticulture
Winterstein, Scott R.	Fisheries and Wildlife
Witter, Scott G.	Resource Development
Wolf, Christopher A.	Agricultural Economics
Yokoyama, Melvin T.	Animal Science
Zabadal, Thomas J.	Horticulture
Zabik, Mary E.	Food Science and Human Nutrition
Zabik, Matthew J.	National Food Safety and Toxicology Center
Zabik, Matthew J.	Entomology
Zacharewski, Timothy R.	National Food Safety and Toxicology Center
Zandstra, Bernard H.	Horticulture
Zanella, Adroaldo	Animal Science
Zile, Maija H.	Food Science and Human Nutrition

- <sup>1</sup> Elton Smith Endowed Chair
- <sup>2</sup> C.S. Mott Distinguished Professor of Sustainable Agriculture
- <sup>3</sup> Hannah Professor for Microbial Ecology and Plant Sciences
- 4 Nowlin Professor for Water Research (50 percent of the appointment is paid by the endowment)
- <sup>5</sup> Clinton Meadows Chair
- 6 Partnerships for Ecosystem Research and Management (PERM) positions with salary funded by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources
- 7 GREEEN (Generating Research and Extension to meet Economic and Environmental Needs) appointed faculty

# MAES Scientists and Projects by Department

The names listed here represent faculty members who have an MAES appointment and are in the tenure stream as of 10-1-99. Faculty members with dual MAES appointments are listed in both of the departments in which they serve.

#### SCIENTISTS

MAES = Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station MSUE = Michigan State University Extension

Joint = Joint appointment in an MAESaffiliated College or Department

12 = Professor

13 = Associate Professor

14 = Assistant Professor

#### PROJECTS

Projects listed are as of 10-1-99.

\*Signifies Regional Research Project

#### ANR Education and **Communication Systems**

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Kirk L. Heinze, Acting Chair

TOTALS:		0.57	0.90	1.53	
Whims, Fred R.	12	0.12	0.40	0.48	Extension Education/Rural Education
Suvedi, Murari	13	0.25	0.50	0.25	Program Evaluation
Heinze, Kirk L.	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	Marketing Communication
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
FACULTY					

#### PROJECTS

MICL03316 Assessing Retailer/Consumer Perceptions and Use of Michigan-Produced Commodities Heinze, K.

MICL03372

Evaluation of Area of Expertise (AOE) Team Approach to Applied Research and

Suvedi, M. Extension in Michigan

#### **Agricultural Economics**



Larry G. Hamm, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Batie, Sandra S.1	12	0.60	0.20	0.20	Food and Agriculture Policy
Black, J. Roy	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Farm Management
Cheney, Laura L.	14	0.50	0.50	0.00	Livestock Industry Management
Crawford, Eric W.	12	0.40	0.35	0.25	International Development
Eicher, Carl K.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	International Development
Hanson, Steven D.	13	0.80	0.00	0.20	Agricultural Finance
Harsh, Stephen B.	12	0.20	0.65	0.15	Farm Management

## Agricultural Economics (continued)

	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Hoehn, John P.	12	0.70	0.00	0.30	Natural Resources & Environmental Economics
Lloyd, James W.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Livestock Production/Health Management/Food Safety
Lupi Jr., Frank <sup>6</sup>	14	0.15	0.42	0.43	Fisheries & Wildlife Economics
Myers, Robert S.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	International Trade & Price Analysis
Norris, Patricia E.	13	0.12	0.30	0.58	Land Use Management/Public Resource Economics
Oehmke, James F.	13	0.75	0.00	0.25	Price Analysis & Research Policy
Peterson, H. Christopher	13	0.40	0.00	0.60	Food and Agribusiness Management
Raper, Kellie K.	14	0.75	0.00	0.25	Livestock Industry Marketing Economist
Ricks, Donald J.	12	0.20	0.70	0.10	Food System Marketing
Robison, Lindon J.	12	0.65	0.00	0.35	Production Economics
Schmid, A. Allan	12	0.60	0.00	0.40	Land Economics/Public Policy
Schwab, Gerald D.	12	0.20	0.50	0.30	Farm Management
Schweikhardt, David B.	13	0.25	0.40	0.35	Food, Agricultural & Trade Policy
Staatz, John S.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	International Development
Swinton, Scott M.	13	0.70	0.00	0.30	Production Economics
van Ravenswaay, Eileen (	O. 12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Environmental Economics & Public Policy
Weatherspoon, Dave D.	14.	0.40	0.00	0.60	Food & Agribusiness Management
Weber, Michael T.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	International Development
Whipple, Judith M.	13	0.30	0.20	0.50	Food & Agribusiness Management
Wolf, Christopher A.	14	0.50	0.50	0.00	Dairy Firm Management Economics
TOTALS:		13.27	4.72	9.01	
Adjustment for PERM Posi	tions	-0.15	-0.42	-0.43	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		13.12	4.30	8.58	

PROJECTS		
MICL01518*	Benefits and Costs of Resource Policies Affecting Public and Private Land	Hoehn, J.
MICL01519*	Private Strategies, Public Policies and Food System Performance	van Ravenswaay, E.
MICL01530*	Fruit and Vegetable Supply-Chain Management, Innovations and Competitiveness	Ricks, D.
MICL01625	Financial Decision Making and Investment in Agriculture	Hanson, S.
MICL01635	Collective Action in Agriculture, Natural Resources and Rural Development	Schmid, A.
MICL01642*	Impacts of Structural Change in the Dairy Industry	Wolf, C.
MICL01666*	Impact Analyses and Decision Strategies for Agricultural Research	Oehmke, J.
MICL01732	Political Economy of National and International Agricultural Policies and Policy Decision	
	Processes	Schweikhardt, D.
MICL01744	Agricultural Economics Research on International Agricultural Development and	
	Environmental Issues	Eicher, C.
MICL01770	Economic Analysis of Public Policies Affecting the Performance of Michigan Agriculture	Batie, S.
MICL01788	Economic Analysis of Tactical and Operational Decisions on Farms and Design/Development	
	of Information Systems	Harsh, S.
MICL01790	Structural Adjustments in Michigan's Pork and Beef Sectors	Black, J.
MICL01815	The Political Economy of U.S. Agricultural Research, Commodity and Trade Policy	Oehmke, J.
MICL01844	Risk Analysis and Management in U.S. Agriculture	Myers, R.
MICL01850	The Role of Information and Market Transactions in Land Use Policy	Norris, P.
MICL01865	Role of Information and Transactions Costs in Coordination of Global Food Systems	Staatz, J.

## Agricultural Economics (continued)

MICL01889	Social Capital, Terms of Trade and the Internalization of Externalities	Robison, L.
MICL01891*	Financing Agriculture and Rural America: Issues of Policy, Structure and Technical Change	Hanson, S.
MICL01905	Agricultural Production Economics and Environmental Risk Management	Swinton, S.
MICL01925	Agribusiness Competitiveness: Strategies for Vertical Coordination and	
	Customer Responsiveness	Peterson, H.
MICL03333	Improved Marketing and Competitiveness for Michigan Fruit Industries	Ricks, D.
MICL03356	Economics of Vertical Coordination and Intensive Production in Michigan's	
	Livestock Industries	Martin, L.
MICL03381	Strategic Management in Agribusiness Using Key Performance Indicators	Lloyd, J.
MICL03384	Assessing the Economic Structure, Performance, Visibility and Competitiveness of the	
	Michigan Dairy Industry	Wolf, C.
MICL03385	The Impact of Efficient Consumer Response on Michigan Food Manufacturers and Retailers	Whipple, J.
MICL03387	$\label{thm:conomics} \mbox{ Agricultural Economics Research on International Agricultural Development and the Environment}$	Weber, M.
MICL08201	Enhancing Rural Economies Through Comprehensive Extension, Research and	
	Partnering Approaches	Moser, C.

#### Agricultural Engineering



Ajit K. Srivastava, Chair

	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Bakker-Arkema, Fred W.	12	0.65	0.00	0.35	Grain Dry Storage
Berglund, Kris A.	12	0.49	0.00	0.51	Biotechnology/Food Engineering
Bickert, William G.	12	0.20	0.80	0.00	Livestock Facilities/Environment
Brook, Roger C.	12	0.25	0.75	0.00	Postharvest Handling, Storage, Drying
Gerrish, John B.	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Electronics/Odor Control
Guyer, Daniel E.	13	0.25	0.75	0.00	Fruit/Vegetable Storage/Handling
Loudon, Theodore L.	12	0.30	0.70	0.00	Irrigation/Waste Water Treatment
Marks, Bradley P.	13	0.60	0.00	0.40	Biosystems Engineer
Northcott, William J.	14	0.40	0.00	0.60	Natural Resources Engineer
Person, Howard L.	13	0.30	0.70	0.00	Agricultural Structures/Livestock/Waste Treatment
Segerlind, Larry J.	12	0.35	0.00	0.65	Finite Element Analysis/Structures
Steffe, James F.	12	0.35	0.00	0.65	Food Engineering/Rheology
Surbrook, Truman C.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Electrical Technology /Stray Voltage
Van Ee, Gary R.	12	0.65	0.00	0.35	Chemical Application/Power & Machinery
von Bernuth, Robert D.	12	0.36	0.26	0.38	Manure Management
TOTALS:		5.80	3.96	5.24	

PROJECTS		
MICL01245*	Improvement of Thermal Processes for Foods	Steffe, J.
MICL01581	Value-Added Quality Control Techniques in the Postharvest Stages of Fruit and	
	Vegetable Products	Guyer, D.
MICL01676*	Technology and Principles for Assessing and Retaining Postharvest Quality of Fruits and	
	Vegetables	Guyer, D.
MICL01767	Development of Chemical Application Technology for Agribusiness	Van Ee, G.

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MICL01777	Engineering for Food Quality and Safety	Brook, R.
MICL01784	Marketing and Delivery of Quality Cereals and Oilseeds	Bakker-Arkema, F
MICL01787	Improvement of Small-Scale Decentralized and Onsite Wastewater Treatment and Disposal	Loudon, T.
MICL01794	Analysis and Characterization of Biosystems	Gerrish, J.
MICL01799	Designing Dairy Facilities to Enhance Management and to Meet Animals' Needs	Bickert, W.
MICL01862	Neutral-To-Earth Voltage Reduction on Livestock Farms	Surbrook, T.
MICL01883	Facilitating Beneficial Use of Livestock Manure	Person, H.
MICL01888*	Animal Manure and Waste Utilization, Treatment and Nuisance Avoidance for a	
	Sustainable Agriculture	von Bernuth, R.
MICL01914	Irrigation and Waste Management Research in a Systems Context	von Bernuth, R.
MICL01930	Computational Methods in Biosystems Engineering	Segerlind, L.
MICL01935	Laser Spectoscopy for Analysis of Crystallization Processes	Berglund, K.
MICL07642	Bioprocessing for Utilization of Agricultural Raw Materials	Berglund, K.
MICL08180	Rheology and Protein Chemistry of "Undeveloped" Dough	Steffe, J.



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#### Animal Science



Maynard G. Hogberg, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Allen, Michael	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Forage Nutrition
Aulerich, Richard J.	12	0.75	0.25	0.00	Fur-bearing Animals/Nutrition/
					Toxicology
Balander, Richard J.	13	0.40	0.00	0.60	Avian Physiology/Reproduction
Banks, Bobby D.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Animal Genetics
Bates, Ronald O.	14	0.20	0.80	0.00	Swine Genetics/Management
Beede, David <sup>5</sup>	12	0.50	0.40	0.10	Dairy Nutrition/Dairy Management
Benson, Margaret	12	0.20	0.50	0.30	Ruminant Nutrition/Sheep
Bucholtz, Herbert F.	12	0.15	0.70	0.15	Dairy Nutrition/Management
Bursian, Steven	12	0.85	0.00	0.15	Avian Physiology/Toxicology
Burton, Jeanne L.	14	0.80	0.00	0.20	Molecular Genetics/Dairy Cattle
Buskirk, Daniel	14	0.50	0.50	0.00	Ruminant Nutrition/Beef
Chou, Karen	13	0.80	0.00	0.20	Toxicology
Coe, Paul H.	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	Animal Health
Coussens, Paul M.	13	0.80	0.00	0.20	Molecular Biology
Doumit, Matthew E.	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Meat Science/Muscle Biology
Dukelow, W. Richard	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Reproductive Physiology

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Ernst, Catherine W.	14	0.80	0.00	0.20	Meat Animal Genetics
Ferris, Theodore A.	12	0.20	0.80	0.00	Dairy Genetics
Fogwell, Ralph L.	12	0.30	0.50	0.20	Physiology
Hill, Gretchen M.	13	0.75	0.00	0.25	Swine Nutrition
Ireland, James J.	12	0.95	0.00	0.05	Physiology
Mao, Ivan Ling	12	0.95	0.00	0.05	Dairy Genetics
Nielsen, Brian D.	14	0.60	0.00	0.40	Equine Exercise Physiology
Orth, Michael	14	0.80	0.00	0.20	Turkey Nutrition/Growth Biology
Osburn, Wesley N.	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Meat Science
Pursley, James R.	14	0.20	0.80	0.00	Reproductive Management
Ritchie, Harlan D.	12	0.10	0.90	0.00	Beef Cattle Nutrition/Management
Roberson, Kevin D.	14	0.35	0.65	0.00	Poultry Nutrition/Management
Rozeboom, Dale	13	0.15	0.60	0.25	Swine Nutrition/Management
Rust, Steven	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Beef Feedlot Nutrition
Ryser, Eliott T.	14	0.17	0.00	0.83	Dairy Manufacturing/Microbiology
Smith, George W.	14	0.75	0.00	0.25	Reproductive Physiology
Tempelman, Robert	14	0.50	0.00	0.50	Statistics
Trottier, Nathalie	14 -	0.75	0.00	0.25	Swine Nutrition/Management
Tucker, H. Allen	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Physiology/Lactation
VandeHaar, Michael	13	0.65	0.00	0.35	Dairy Nutrition
Weber, Miriam S.	14	0.30	0.00	0.70	Dairy Management
Yokoyama, Melvin T.	12	0.85	0.00	0.15	Animal Nutrition/Microbiology
Zanella, Adroaldo	14	0.75	0.00	0.25	Ethology/Stress Physiology
TOTALS:		19.82	8.40	10.78	

PROJECTS		
MICL01039	Fur Animal Studies (Mink)	Aulerich, R.
MICL01156*	Management Systems for Improved Decision Making and Profitability of Dairy Herds	Beede, D.
MICL01178	New Breeding Strategies to Maximize the Efficiency of Dairy Cattle Improvement	Mao, I.
MICL01182*	Molecular Mechanisms Regulating Skeletal Muscle Growth and Differentiation	Doumit, M.
MICL01196*	Methods to Increase Reproductive Efficiency in Cattle	Pursley, J.
MICL01521*	Metabolic Relationships in Supply of Nutrients for Lactating Cows	VandeHaar, M.
MICL01573	The Role of Inhibin in Bovine Reproduction	Ireland, J.
MICL01604	Increasing Efficiency of Protein Production in Dairy Cattle	VandeHaar, M.
MICL01622	Environmental Chemical Influences on Reproduction	Chou, K.
MICL01643	Microbial Ecology of Rumen, Gastrointestinal Tract, Ensiled Feeds and Livestock	Yokoyama, M.
MICL01652*	Environmental and Economic Impacts of Nutrient Management on Dairy Forage Systems	Allen, M.
MICL01691*	Genetic Improvement of Cattle Using Molecular Genetic Information	Burton, J.
MICL01727	The Fate and Biological Effects of Xenobiotics in Animals	Bursian, S.
MICL01800	Optimizing Nutrition and Management of Dry, Peripartum and Early Lactation Dairy Cows	Beede, D.
MICL01802	Optimizing the Nutritional Utilization of Forages by Dairy Cattle	Allen, M.
MICL01803	Nutritional, Management and Other Applied Studies Using Poultry and Other Avian Species	Balander, R.
MICL01818*	Biophysical Models for Poultry Production Systems	Rahn, A.
MICL01822	Advanced Biometrical Techniques for Genetic Inference in Livestock Populations	Tempelman, R.
MICL01823	Methods to Enhance Decision Making by Dairy Producers and Artificial Insemination	
	of Bull Studs	Ferris, T.
MICL01836	Genetic Basis of Parturition-Induced Immunosuppression and Mastitis Susceptibility in	
	Dairy Cows	Burton, J.

#### Animal Science (continued)

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MICL01852	Understanding Growth Plate Cartilage Turnover in Meat Producing Birds	Orth, M.
MICL01853	Assessment of Behavioral and Physiological Responses of Animals to Difficult Situations	Zanella, A.
MICL01854	Optimizing Protein and Amino Acid Utilization of Growing Pigs and Gestating and	
	Lactating Sows	Trottier, N.
MICL01861	Management of Athletic Horses to Reduce Musculoskeletal Injuries and Improve Performance	Nielsen, B.
MICL01873*	Positional and Functional Identification of Economically Important Genes in the Pig	Ernst, C.
MICL01875	Using Milk Yield to Schedule Insemination in Dairy Cows	Fogwell, R.
MICL01877	Genetic Management and Control of Growth Carcass Merit and Quality	Bates, R.
MICL01879	Pre- and Postharvest Processing Strategies to Improve the Value of Muscle Food Products	Osburn, W.
MICL01880	Regulation of Skeletal Muscle Growth and Meat Quality	Doumit, M.
MICL01885*	Integration of Quantitative and Molecular Technologies for Genetic Improvement of Pigs	Bates, R.
MICL01890	Mechanisms of Ovulation in Dairy Cattle	Smith, G.
MICL01913	Impact of Growth and Lactation on the Nutritional Needs and Economic Viability of the	
	Sheep Flock	Benson, M.
MICL01928*	Reproductive Performance in Domestic Ruminants	Smith, G.
MICL01929	Identification and Evaluation of Genes Controlling Economically Important Traits in	
	Pigs and Cattle	Ernst, C.
MICL01931	Molecular Mechanisms of Animal Disease I: PRRSV	Coussens, P.
MICL01943	Nutritional and Managerial Strategies to Minimize Phosphorus Excretion from Poultry	Roberson, K.
MICL03340	Nutrition and Feeding Management for Michigan Dairy Herds	Bucholtz, H.
MICL03360	Feeding and Management Regimes for Efficient Utilization of Michigan Feedstuffs by	
	Beef Cattle	Buskirk, D.
MICL03366	Utilization of Genetic Resources for the Improvement of Livestock Populations	Banks, B.
MICL03374	Maximum Utilization of Michigan Grown Feedstuffs for Growing-Finishing Cattle	Rust, S.
MICL06883	The Use of <i>Propionibacterium</i> for Prevention of Lactic Acidosis	Rust, S.
MICL06889	Identification of PCR-RFLPs in Glucocorticoid Receptor Genes of Pedigreed Cattle	Burton, J.
MICL06892	Neuroendocrine Regulation of the Stress Response in Cattle	Smith, G.
MICL06896	Glucosamine's Role in the Regulation of Metalloproteinases in Equine Cartilage	Orth, M.
MICL06898	Identification of Differentially Expressed Genes Regulated by Zinc Supplementation of Weaned Pigs	Ernst, C.
MICL08211	Role of Matrix Metalloproteinases in Ovulation	Smith, G.
MICL08229	Identification of Single-Nucleotide Polymorphisms in Pig Sequence-Tagged Sites	Ernst, C.

## **Biochemistry**



William L. Smith, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Benning, Christoph	14	0.67	0.00	0.33	Plant Biochemistry
Burton, Zachary F.	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	Molecular Biology
Fraker, Pamela J.	12	0.30	0.00	0.70	Immunology
Gage, Douglas A.	14	0.56	0.00	0.44	Plant Biochemistry
Hausinger, Robert P.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Enzymology
Hollingsworth, Rawle I.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Renewable Resource Chemistry
Kaguni, Jon M.	12	0.58	0.00	0.42	Molecular Biology
Kroos, Lee R.	12	0.56	0.00	0.44	Molecular Biology
Preiss, Jack	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Starch Biochemistry

#### Biochemistry (continued)

TOTALS:		4.87	0.00	8.13	
Watson, J. Throck	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Analytical Biochemistry
Wang, John L.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Cell Biology
Triezenberg, Steven J.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Molecular Biology
Schindler, Melvin S.	12	0.35	0.00	0.65	Cell Biology
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST

PROJECTS		D
MICL01290*	Regulation of Photosynthetic Processes	Preiss, J.
MICL01598	Gene Regulation During Development of Soil Bacteria	Kroos, L.
MICL01601	DNA Replication and its Regulation in Escherichia coli	Kaguni, J.
MICL01608	Activation of Gene Expression by a Herpes Simplex Virion Protein	Triezenberg, S.
MICL01610	Functions of Transcription Factor IIF	Burton, Z.
MICL01614	Interaction of <i>Rhizobium</i> with Soybean Cells	Wang, J.
MICL01781	Mechanism of Aluminum Toxicity-Optical Trap Measurements of Cytoskeletal Dysfunction	
	in Living Cells	Schindler, M.
MICL01816	Biosynthesis of the Plant Osmoprotectant Dimethylsulfoniopropionate (DMSP)	Gage, D.
MICL01924	Dietary Zinc — Its Effects on the Immune Response	Fraker, P.
MICL01940	Regulation of Metabolism in Developing Seeds of Arabidopsis	Benning, C.
MICL08219	Role of Oxylipins in the Regulation of Plant Defense	Howe, G.
MICL08225	Genetic Engineering of Amylosaccharidases for Agricultural Bioprocessing	Zeikus, J.

## Botany and Plant Pathology





Raymond K. Hammerschmidt, Acting Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Adams, Gerard C.	13	0.55	0.27	0.18	Plant Pathology/Mycology
Allison, Richard F.	13	0.75	0.00	0.25	Plant Molecular Virology
de Zoeten, Gustaaf A.	12	0.72	0.02	0.26	Plant Pomology/Virology
Fulbright, Dennis W.	12	0.83	0.00	0.17	Plant Pathology/Plant Pathogen
					Genetics
Hammerschmidt, Raymond	12	0.83	0.00	0.17	Plant Pathology/Biochemistry/
					Physiology/Plant Disease Resistance
Hart, L. Patrick	12	0.40	0.50	0.10	Plant Pathology/Field Crops
Hausbeck, Mary K.	13	0.29	0.61	0.10	Plant Pathology/Ornamentals,
					Vegetables & Greenhouse Crops
He, Sheng-Yang	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Molecular Biology/Plant-Pathogen
					Interactions

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Jarosz, Andrew M.	13	0.75	0.00	0.25	Plant Pathology/Pathogen Epidemiology
Jones, Alan L.	12	0.50	0.40	0.10	Plant Pathology/Fruit Tree Crops
Kirk, William W.7	14	0.45	0.45	0.10	Plant Pathology/Vegetables/
					Potatoes/Perennial Herbaceous Plants
Ohlrogge, John B.	12	0.84	0.00	0.16	Plant Physiology/Biochemistry/
					Molecular Biology/Plant Lipid Synthesis
Poff, Ken	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Plant Physiology
Prather, L. Alan	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Plant Systematics
Safir, Gene R.	12	0.90	0.00	0.10	Plant Pathology/Mycorrhizal Fungi
Sang, Tao	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Plant Systematics and Molecular
					Evolution
Schilder, Annemiek C.	14	0.45	0.45	0.10	Plant Pathology/Small Fruits
Sears, Barbara B.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Molecular Biology and Plant Organelle
					Genetics
Trail, Frances	14	0.27	0.00	0.73	Host Pathogen Interactions
Vargas, Joseph M., Jr.	12	0.26	0.49	0.25	Plant Pathology/Diseases/Sod and Turf
TOTALS:		10.04	3.19	6.77	
Adjustment for GREEEN	Positions	-0.45	-0.45	-0.10	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		9.59	2.74	6.67	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

#### PROJECTS

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MICL08203

MICL08212

MICL08216

MICL01206*	Biocontrol of Soil-Borne Plant Pathogens	Safir, G.
MICL01259*	Fusarium Mycotoxins in Cereal Grains	Hart, L.
MICL01499	Control and Utilization of VA Mycorrhizal Root Colonization	Safir, G.
MICL01533	Genetic Engineering of Oilseed Crops	Ohlrogge, J.
MICL01562	Physiology of Resistance and Induced Resistance to Disease in Potato	Hammerschmidt, R
MICL01662	Avirultent Fungal and Bacterial Plant Pathogens: Their Role and Fate in Plant Disease Epidemics	Fulbright, D.
MICL01673	Biology and Control of Pathogens of Field Crops	Hart, L.
MICL01679	Plastome mutator of Oenothera: A Nuclear Gene That Causes Chloroplast DNA Mutations	Sears, B.
MICL01756*	Multidisciplinary Evaluation of New Apple Cultivars	Jones, A.
MICL01808	Recombination Between Viral RNA and Transgenic Plant Transcripts	Allison, R.
MICL01827	Complementation of Movement Function Between Genetic Components of Pea Enation	
	Mosaic Virus	de Zoeten, G.
MICL01832	Management of Turfgrass Diseases	Vargas, J.
MICL01843	Cryptic Plant Pathogenic Fungi: Biology of Latent Pathogens in Symptomless Trees	Adams, G.
MICL01896	Phylogeny of the Rice Genus, Oryza, and Evolution of Rice Disease Resistance Genes	Sang, T.
MICL01907	Development and Dispersal of Inoculum for the Wheat Head Scab Fungus, Gibberella zeae	Trail, F.
MICL01910	Molecular Biology of Plant-Bacterial Interactions	He, S.
MICL01912	Pathogen Population Biology as a Tool in Developing Disease Control Strategies	Jarosz, A.
MICL01922	Plant Evolution and Conservation: The Role of Flower Form and Function	Prather, L.
MICL01938	The Relationship Between Phototropism and the Positioning of Leaves and Flowers	Poff, K.
MICL03183	Diseases of Tree Fruit Crops and Their Control	Jones, A.
MICL03377	Diseases of Upland and Muck Vegetables and Transplants, Greenhouse Ornamentals	
	and Their Control	

Factors Affecting Recombination Frequency Between Plant Viruses and Viral Transgenes

Production of Industrially Useful Monoenoic Fatty Acids in Transgenic Plants

Controlling Fire Blight Disease of Apple Trees FY99

Production of Acetylated Glycerides in Transgenic Oil Crops

#### Chemical Engineering

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PROJECTS		
MICL07621	Bioprocessing for Utilization of Agricultural Raw Materials	Berglund, K
MICL08193	Multiphase Biocatalysis Using Reversible Aphrons	Worden, R.
MICL08215	Condensed-Phase Catalytic Hydrogenation of Crop-Derived Organic Acids	Miller, D.

#### Chemistry

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MICL08160	Environmentally Compatible Synthesis of Value-Added Chemicals from D-Glucose	Frost, J.
MICL08208	Environmentally Compatible Synthesis of Value-Added Chemicals from D-Glucose	Frost, J.
MICL08214	Charge Separation and Stabilization in Chloroplast Photosystem II	Babcock, G

# Crop and Soil Sciences



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Taylor J. Johnston, Acting Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Baird, James H.	14	0.70	0.00	0.30	Turfgrass Management
Boyd, Stephen A.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Environmental Soil Chemistry
Bughrara, Suleiman S.7	14	0.75	0.25	0.00	Turfgrass Breeding and Genetics
Christenson, Donald R.	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Soil Fertility/Management
Copeland, Lawrence O.	12	0.15	0.75	0.10	Seed/Grain Technology
Crum, James L.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Soil Class/Genesis/Turfgrass
Ellis, Boyd G.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Soil Chemistry
Dazzo, Frank B.	12	0.10	0.00	0.90	Microbial Ecology
Douches, David S.	13	0.90	0.00	0.10	Potato Breeding/Genetics
Foster, Eunice F.	12	0.15	0.00	0.85	Crop Physiology
Freed, Russell D.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	International Agronomy/Plant Breeding

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Harwood, Richard R.2	12	0.60	0.20	0.20	Sustainable Agriculture
Jacobs, Lee W.	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Environmental Waste Management
Kells, James J., Jr.	12	0.25	0.60	0.15	Weed Science
Kelly, James D.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Dry Bean Breeding
Knezek, Bernard D.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Micronutrient/Waste Utilization
Leep, Richard H.	12	0.35	0.50	0.15	Soil Fertility/Forage Management
Lenski, Richard E. <sup>3</sup>	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Microbial Ecology and Evolutionary Biology
Mokma, Delbert L.	12	0.50	0.15	0.35	Soil Classification/Genesis
Paul, Eldor A.	12	0.62	0.14	0.24	Soil Microbiology
Penner, Donald	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Crop/Weed/Physiology
Pierce, Francis J.	12	0.70	0.00	0.30	Soil Management Systems
Renner, Karen A.	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Weed Science
Ritchie, Joe T.4	12	0.00	0.50	0.00	Soil Physics/Plant Stress
Robertson, G. Philip	12	0.38	0.00	0.62	Ecosystem Ecology
Rogers, John N. III.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Turfgrass Management
Rugh, Clayton L.	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Phytoremediation, Molecular and Cellular Genetics
Smucker, A.J.M.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Soil Biophysics
Teppen, Brian J.	14	0.75	0.00	0.25	Surface Soil Chemistry
Thelen, Kurt D.	14	0.40	0.60	0.00	Cropping Systems Agronomist
Thomashow, Michael F.	12	0.76	0.00	0.24	Plant and Microbial Molecular Genetics
Tiedje, James M.	12	0.60	0.00	0.40	Soil Microbiology/Microbial Ecology
Ward, Richard W.	13	0.75	0.00	0.25	Wheat Breeding
Warncke, Darryl D.	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Greenhouse/Vegetable Soil Fertility
TOTALS:		17.11	5.69	10.70	
Adjustment for GREEEN	Positions	-0.75	-0.25	0.00	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		16.36	5.44	10.70	

PROJECTS		
MICL00319	Classification, Genesis and Evaluation of Michigan Soils	Mokma, D.
MICL00569	Breeding and Testing Small Grain Cultivars for Michigan	Freed, R.
MICL00908	Fundamental Factors in Cultural and Chemical Weed Control, Weed Competition and	
	Weed Life Cycles	Renner, K.
MICL01462*	Management of Eroded Soils for Enhancement of Productivity and Environmental Quality	Mokma, D.
MICL01471*	Chemistry and Bioavailability of Waste Constituents in Soils	Jacobs, L.
MICL01568	Plant Biotechnology: Molecular Approaches to Improve Environmental Stress Tolerance	Thomashow, M.
MICL01574	Movement and Degradation of Organic Contaminants in Soils	Boyd, S.
MICL01617*	Biological and Ecological Basis for Weed Management Decision Support Systems to	
	Reduce Herbicide Use	Kells, J.
MICL01654	Genetic Improvement of Beans (Phaseolus vulgaris L.) For Yield, Pest Resistance and Food Value	Kelly, J.
MICL01685	Crop Rotation Effects on Soil Microbial Activity, Nutrient Use Efficiency and Productivity	Harwood, R.
MICL01761	Weed Management as a Component of Field Crop Production Systems	Kells, J.
MICL01768	Management and Production of Grasses, Legumes and Their Mixtures for Sustainable Forage	
	Crops and Pasture	Leep, R.
MICL01772*	Characterizing Nitrogen Mineralization and Availability in Crop Systems to Protect	
	Water Resources	Jacobs, L.
MICL01779	The Physiology and Biochemistry of Herbicide Action, Selectivity and Degradation	Penner, D.
MICL01780	Impact Absorption, Traction and Wear Tolerance Investigation on Turf and Soil Surfaces	Rogers, J.
	MICL00319 MICL00569 MICL00908  MICL01462* MICL01471* MICL01568 MICL01574 MICL01617*  MICL01654 MICL01685 MICL01761 MICL01778  MICL01779	MICL00319 Classification, Genesis and Evaluation of Michigan Soils  MICL00569 Breeding and Testing Small Grain Cultivars for Michigan  MICL00908 Fundamental Factors in Cultural and Chemical Weed Control, Weed Competition and Weed Life Cycles  MICL01462* Management of Eroded Soils for Enhancement of Productivity and Environmental Quality  MICL01471* Chemistry and Bioavailability of Waste Constituents in Soils  MICL01568 Plant Biotechnology: Molecular Approaches to Improve Environmental Stress Tolerance  MICL01574 Movement and Degradation of Organic Contaminants in Soils  MICL01617* Biological and Ecological Basis for Weed Management Decision Support Systems to Reduce Herbicide Use  MICL01654 Genetic Improvement of Beans ( <i>Phaseolus vulgaris</i> L.) For Yield, Pest Resistance and Food Value  MICL01665 Crop Rotation Effects on Soil Microbial Activity, Nutrient Use Efficiency and Productivity  MICL01761 Weed Management as a Component of Field Crop Production Systems  MICL01768 Management and Production of Grasses, Legumes and Their Mixtures for Sustainable Forage Crops and Pasture  MICL01772* Characterizing Nitrogen Mineralization and Availability in Crop Systems to Protect Water Resources  MICL01779 The Physiology and Biochemistry of Herbicide Action, Selectivity and Degradation

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MICL01782	Application of Organic and Other Waste Residuals to Agricultural Soils as a Waste	
	Management Option	Jacobs, L.
MICL01796	Soil and Site-Specific Management for Conservation in Agricultural Systems	Pierce, F.
MICL01797	Soil Microbiology and Biochemistry in Agroecosystems	Paul, E.
MICL01806	Breeding and Genetics for the Improvement of Potato (Solanum tuberosum L.)	Douches, D.
MICL01807	Properties of High Sand Content Soils for Turfgrass Uses	Crum, J.
MICL01821	Microbial Ecology of Soil and Biodegradation	Tiedje, J.
MICL01830	Wheat Breeding and Genetics	Ward, R.
MICL01837	Cultivation and Topdressing Effects on Turf and Soil	Rieke, P.
MICL01855	The Role of Mutation in Bacterial Evolution	Lenski, R.
MICL01858	Systems of Cropping	Christenson, D.
MICL01866	Simulation and Measurement of the Water, Nitrogen and Phosphorus Dynamics in Field	
	Crop Production	Ritchie, J.
MICL01867	Parsimonious Biometrical Models Applicable in Agriculture and Natural Resources	Schabenberger, O.
MICL01872	Nitrogen Loss in Row Crop Agriculture	Robertson, G.
MICL01884	Soil Biophysical Mechanisms of Soil Aggregation	Smucker, A.
MICL01909	Turfgrass Physiology and Site-Specific Management	Baird, J.
MICL03122	Development and Correlation of Soil Test Procedures With Crop Yields and Plant	
	Nutrient Contents	Warncke, D.
MICL03260	Forage Management Studies in Northern Michigan	Leep, R.
MICL03302	Management of Organic Soils for Crop Production	Warncke, D.
MICL03324	Drought Resistance in Common Bean	Foster, E.
MICL03359	Variety Release: Canola and Wheat Management	Copeland, L.
MICL07620	Sustainable Agriculture: Management Systems for Integrating Soil, Plants and Animals	Harwood, R.
MICL07640	Sustainable Agriculture: Ecological Integration of Soil, Plants and Animals	Harwood, R.
MICL08194	Root and Soil Carbon Contributions to the Stability and Function of Soil Aggregates	Smucker, A.
MICL08220	Pesticide-Clay Mineral Interactions in Aqueous Systems	Boyd, S.
MICL08224	Mechanism of CBF Gene Regulation by Low Temperature	Thomashow, M.

#### **Entomology**



Edward J. Grafius, Chair

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Ayers, George S.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	IPM/Apiculture
Bird, George W.	12	0.20	0.65	0.15	Agricultural Nematology
Bristow, Catherine	13	0.30	0.00	0.70	Insect Ecology
DiFonzo, Christina D.	14	0.10	0.25	0.65	Field Crop Entomology/Pesticide Education Coordinator
Dong, Ke	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Insect Toxicology
Edens, Thomas C.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Resource Economics and Policy
Gage, Stuart H.	12	0.48	0.12	0.40	Environmental Sytems/Entomological Surveys
Gut, Larry	14	0.25	0.65	0.10	Tree Fruit Insects
Hollingworth, Robert M.	12	0.15	0.10	0.75	Pesticide Toxicology/Action Insecticide Resistance/IR 4 Program
Huang, Zhiyong	14	0.21	0.53	0.26	Apiculture

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Isaacs, Rufus <sup>7</sup>	14	0.45	0.45	0.10	Small Fruit Insect Management
Landis, Douglas A.	13	0.66	0.18	0.16	Insect Ecology, Biological Control
McCullough, Deborah G.	13	0.30	0.50	0.20	Forest Entomology
Melakeberhan, Haddish	14	0.20	0.00	0.80	Plant-Nematode Interaction Physiology
Merritt, Richard W.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Aquatic Insect Ecology
Miller, James R.	12	0.42	0.00	0.58	Insect Behavior
Olsen, Larry	13	0.20	0.80	0.00	Agrimedicine/PIAP Program
Raikhel, Alexander S.	12	0.30	0.00	0.70	Insect Physiology
Scriber, J. Mark	12	0.43	0.07	0.50	Insect Ecology
Smitley, David R.	13	0.25	0.60	0.15	Landscape/Ornamental Insect Ecology
Stehr, Frederick W.	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Insect Biocontrol Systems
Thiem, Suzanne	13	0.40	0.00	0.60	Insect Molecular Biology
Walker, Edward D.	13	0.33	0.33	0.34	Medical/Veterinary Entomology
Zabik, Matthew J.	12	0.10	0.00	0.90	Environmental Toxicology
TOTALS:		7.33	5.23	11.44	
Adjustment for GREEEN Positions		-0.45	-0.45	-0.10	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		6.88	4.78	11.34	

PROJECTS		
MICL01067*	Climate and Agricultural Landscape Productivity Analysis and Assessment in the North	
	Central Region	Gage, S.
MICL01563*	Spatial Dynamics of Leafhopper Pests and Their Management on Alfalfa	DiFonzo, C.
MICL01584*	Biologically Based IPM Systems for Management of Plant-Parasitic Nematodes	Bird, G.
MICL01606	Biological Control and Integrated Management of Insects in Nurseries, Turf and the Urban Forest	Smitley, D.
MICL01640*	Ecology and Management of European Corn Borer and Other Stalk-Boring Lepidoptera	Landis, D.
MICL01644	Plant Chemical Defenses: Insect Detoxication and Ecological Factors Affecting Gene Flow	
	and Host Selection/Hybrid Zone	Scriber, J.
MICL01663	Biology and Management of Insect Pests of Vegetable Crops	Grafius, E.
MICL01700	Ecology and Management of Forest Insects in Michigan	McCullough, D.
MICL01733	Mechanisms of Baculovirus Pathogenesis in Insects	Thiem, S.
MICL01734	Diet Choice and Foraging in Ants	Bristow, C.
MICL01742	Molecular Basis of Insect Reproduction	Raikhel, A.
MICL01745	The Center for Arthropod Diversity Study	Stehr, F.
MICL01783	Influence of Agricultural Landscape Structure on Biological Control of Pests by Insects	Landis, D.
MICL01792	Physiological Basis for Integrated Approach Towards Sustainable Management Of Plant	
	Parasitic Nematodes	Melakeberhan, H.
MICL01813*	Genetic Variability in the Cyst and Root-Knot Nematodes	Melakeberhan, H.
MICL01814	Factors Regulating Insect Host-Plant Colonization	Miller, J.
MICL01826	Development of Bee Forage Systems	Ayers, G.
MICL01915	Large Scale Assessment of Insect Populations From an Ecosystem Management Perspective	Gage, S.
MICL01936	Molecular Characterization of Knock-Down Resistance in the German Cockroach	Dong, K.
MICL01942	Shifts in Ant Communities in Response to Habitat and Management Regime	Bristow, C.
MICL03338	Ecology and Management of Arthropod Vector Populations and Vector-Borne Diseases	Walker, E.
MICL03361	Biology and Control of Biting Flies in Michigan	Merritt, R.
MICL03379	New Arthropod Pest Controls and Management Strategies for Michigan Tree Fruit	
	Production Systems	Gut, L.
MICL07641	Safeguarding the Supply of Speciality Crops for the Consumer	Gut, L.

#### Entomology (continued)

MICL08189	Managing Natural and Engineering Resistance in Potato to Colorado Potato Beetle	Grafius, E.
MICL08192	Influence of Perennial Habitats Including High-Value Woody Species on Natural Enemies of	
	Crop Pests	Landis, D.
MICL08223	Mode of Action of Nosema apis, a Microsridian Pathogen of Honey Bees	Huang, Z.
MICL08226	Can Refuges Moderate Disturbance and Enhance Biological Control in Annual Crops?	Landis, D.

#### Family and Child Ecology

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Marjorie J. Kostelnik,

Walker, Rosemary A.  TOTALS:	12	0.50 <b>1.63</b>	0.00	0.50 <b>2.57</b>	Family Economics
Schiamberg, Lawrence R.		0.28	0.00	0.72	Human Development/Family
Keith, Joanne G.	12	0.10	0.80	0.10	Human Development/Family
Keefe, Dennis R.	14	0.50	0.00	0.50	Family Economics
Imig, David R.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Family Ecology
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FACULTY					

PROJECTS		
MICL01523*	Family Business: Interaction in Work and Family Spheres	Walker, R.
MICL01786	Determinants of Small Family Business Outcomes	Walker, R.
MICL01841	Identification and Evaluation of Internal and External Assets in the Lives of Children and	
	Adolescents	Keith, J.
MICL01897*	Rural Low-Income Families: Tracking Their Well-Being and Functioning in the Context of	
	Welfare Reform	Keefe, D.
MICL01911	Moving and Aging-In-Place in the Retirement Planning of the Maturing Population	Schiamberg, L.
MICL03349	The Study of Family Social Capital in Rural Michigan Communities	Imig, D.
MICL03368	Family-Environment Transactions: Effects on Economic Well-Being and Michigan Families'	
	Life Quality	Keefe, D.

#### Fisheries and Wildlife



Thomas G. Coon, Acting Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Bence, James R.6	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Fish Population Dynamics/Fish Ecology
Bremigan, Mary T.6	14	0.60	0.00	0.40	Fish Management
Campa, Henry III	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Wildlife Habitat Ecology
Coon, Thomas G.	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	Fish Ecology/Stream Management
Garling, Donald L.	12	0.30	0.50	0.20	Aquaculture
Hayes, Daniel B.6	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Stream Fisheries Biology
Jones, Michael L.6	13	0.75	0.20	0.05	Fisheries Stream Models
Li, Weiming <sup>6</sup>	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Fish Physiology
Liu, Jianguo <sup>6</sup>	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Wildlife Systems Models
Lupi Jr., Frank <sup>6</sup>	14	0.10	0.28	0.62	Natural Resource Economics

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	RANK	34400	3.507.101	1011m	
	KANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Maurer, Brian A.6	13	0.50	0.20	0.30	Landscape Ecology
Millenbah, Kelly F.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Restoration Ecology
Peyton, R. Benny	12	0.42	0.00	0.58	Human Dimensions
Prince, Harold H.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Waterfowl/Wetlands
Scribner, Kim T.6	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Molecular Ecology
Soranno, Patricia A.	14	0.50	0.00	0.50	Limnology
Winterstein, Scott R.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Wildlife Biometry
TOTALS:		9.37	2.18	5.45	
Adjustment for PERM Positions		-5.70	-1.68	-1.62	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		3.67	0.50	3.83	

PROJECTS		
MICL01540	Ecology, Population Dynamics and Management of Michigan Great Lakes Fisheries Resources	Taylor, W.
MICL01646	Wildlife Responses to Habitat Management	Campa, H.
MICL01719	Management of Forests and Wildlife for Multiple Use Benefits	Campa, H.
MICL01740	Development of Commercial Fish Culture Techniques	Garling, D.
MICL01758	Relationship Between Habitat Characteristics and Fish Population Dynamics	Hayes, D.
MICL01759	Tools and Information for Improved Management of Great Lakes' Fisheries	Bence, J.
MICL01785	Systems Modeling of Wildlife Dynamics Across Heterogeneous Landscapes	Liu, J.
MICL01868	The Influence of Landscapes and Biological Communities on Freshwater Ecosystems	Soranno, P.
MICL01893	Uncertainty and the Management of Great Lakes Fisheries	Jones, M.
MICL01894	Intraspecific Chemical Communication of Fish	Li, W.
MICL01904	Classification of Aquatic Ecosystems for Management Across Ecological Gradients	Bremigan, M.
MICL01923	Habitat and Its Effects on the Ecology and Management of Fishes	Coon, T.
MICL03378	Wildlife Response to Ecological Restoration	Millenbah, K.
MICL03380	Modeling Wildlife Population Dynamics	Winterstein, S
MICL03382	Composition of Waterfowl Harvest and Avian Use of Wetland Habitats in Michigan	Prince, H.
MICL03383	Genetic Diversity of Native and Introduced Fisheries in the Great Lakes	Scribner, K.
MICL03386	Human Dimensions of Managing Natural Resource Issues: Cultural Carrying Capacity of	
	Deer in Michigan	Peyton, R.
MICL06891	Predictive Genealogical Model for Transmission of Tuberculosis in Free-Ranging Michigan Deer	Scribner, K.
MICL09006	Support for a National Coordinator for Aquaculture New Animal Drug Applications	Batterson, T.
MICL10007	Regional Aquaculture Center	Batterson, T.
MICL10008	Regional Aquaculture Center	Batterson, T.
MICL10009	Regional Aquaculture Center	Batterson, T.
MICL10010	Regional Aquaculture Center	Batterson, T.
MICL10011	Regional Aquaculture Center	Batterson, T.

## Food Science and Human Nutrition



Mark A. Uebersax, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Bennink, Maurice R.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Nutritional Biochemistry
Bond, Jenny T.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Prenatal/Postnatal Nutrition
Booren, Alden M.	12	0.15	0.75	0.10	Meat/Poultry/Fish
Bourquin, Leslie D.	14	0.25	0.75	0.00	Food Safety
Cash, Jerry N.	12	0.25	0.75	0.00	Fruit/Vegetable Products
Chenoweth, Wanda L.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Clinical Nutrition
Doumit, Matthew E.	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Meat Quality
Fraker, Pamela J.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Cellular Immunology
Hoerr, Sharon M.	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Community Nutrition
Hord, Norman	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Nutritional Epidemiology
Linz, John E.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Food Microbiology
Ng, Perry K. W.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Cereal Science
Ofoli, Robert Y.	13	0.49	0.00	0.51	Colloid/Interface Science
Osburn, Wesley N.	14	0.15	0.00	0.85	Meat/Poultry Production
Pestka, James J.	12	0.62	0.00	0.38	Food Microbiology
Romsos, Dale R.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Lipid Metabolism
Ryser, Eliott T.	14	0.53	0.00	0.47	Dairy Foods
Schroeder, Joseph J.	14	0.50	0.00	0.50	Nutritional Biochemistry/Bioactive Lipids
Smith, Denise M.	12	0.67	0.00	0.33	Poultry/Egg Products
Song, Won O.	12	0.23	0.00	0.77	Nutritional Assessment
Steffe, James F.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Food Engineering/Rheology
Strasburg, Gale M.	13	0.65	0.00	0.35	Muscle Biochemistry
Ustunol, Zeynep	13	0.72	0.00	0.28	Dairy Foods
Zabik, Mary E.	12	0.19	0.00	0.81	Foods
Zile, Maija H.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Nutrition
TOTALS:		9.70	2.25	13.05	

PROJECTS		
MICL01323	Improving Process Efficiency Product Quality and Nutricet Commercial of Emit and	
MICLUISZS	Improving Process Efficiency, Product Quality, and Nutrient Composition of Fruit and	
	Vegetable Products	Uebersax, M.
MICL01413	Metabolism and Function of Vitamin A	Zile, M.
MICL01444*	Role of N-3/N-6 Polyunsaturated Fatty Acids in Health Maintenance	Romsos, D.
MICL01448	Microbial Food-Borne Disease	Pestka, J.
MICL01478*	Genetic Improvement of Beans (Phaseolus vulgaris L.) For Yield, Pest Resistance and Food Value	Uebersax, M.
MICL01599	Regulation of Calcium in Muscle Sarcoplasm	Strasburg, G.
MICL01623	Comparative Aspects of Nutrition and Lipid Metabolism	Romsos, D.
MICL01632	Improving the Quality and Safety of Value-Added Meat and Poultry Products	Smith, D.
MICL01664	Development, Quality and Safety of Value-Added Dairy and Dairy-Based Products	Ustunol, Z.
MICL01665	Nutritional Assessment in Population-Based Epidemiological Studies	Song, W.
MICL01694*	Nutrient Bioavailability: A Key to Human Nutrition	Chenoweth, W.
MICL01699	Molecular Structure of Soft Wheat Proteins in Relation to End-Use Quality	Ng, P.
MICL01706	Interactions of Biological Macromolecules at the Liquid-Liquid Interface	Ofoli, R.
MICL01715*	Improve Food Safety Through Discovery and Control of Natural and Induced Toxicants	
	and Antitoxicants	Pestka, J.

# Food Science and Human Nutrition (continued)

MICL01762	Relationship of Diet and Cancer	Bennink, M.
MICL01764	Quality and Safety of Processed Foods	Gray, J.
MICL01791	Processing and Quality Evaluation of Fruits and Vegetables	Cash, J.
MICL01795	Modulation of Colon and Breast Cancer Cell Growth by Sphingolipids	Schroeder, J.
MICL01804*	Using Stages of Change Model to Promote Consumption of Grains, Vegetables and Fruits	
	by Young Adults	Hoerr, S.
MICL01856	Aflatoxin B1 Biosynthesis in Aspergillus	Linz, J.
MICL01878	Reducing Dietary Risk for Chronic Disease via a Behavioral Approach in High Risk Populations	Hoerr, S.
MICL01887*	Enhancing Food Safety Through Control of Food-Borne Disease Agents	Linz, J.
MICL01895	Influence of Diet and Phytochemicals on Colon Carcinogenesis	Bourquin, L.
MICL01902	Interactions of Minerals With Other Dietary Components: Effect on Bioavailability	Chenoweth, W.
MICL01920*	Marketing and Delivery of Quality Cereals and Oilseeds	Ng, P.
MICL01932	Microbial Safety of Foods	Ryser, E.
MICL01937	Processing Treatments Influencing Functional Properties and Utilization of Muscle Foods	Booren, A.
MICL03363	Food Industry Institute	Hegarty, P.
MICL03370	Food Safety Issues for Michigan Consumers	Zabik, M.
MICL03371	Targeting Michigan Groups at Nutritional Health/Risk: Identifying Needs, Intervention	
	Strategies and Outcomes	Bond, J.
MICL06885	Apoptosis and Sphingolipids in Fumonisin-Induced Kidney Cell Death	Schroeder, J.
MICL08191	Metabolism and Function of Retinoic Acid in Quail Embryogenesis	Zile, M.
MICL08195	Biochemical Characterization of Pale, Soft, Exudative Turkey	Strasburg, G.
MICL08196	Recombinant Antibodies for Natural Toxicants	Pestka, J.

## **Forestry**



Daniel E. Keathley,

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Dickmann, Donald I.	12	0.70	0.00	0.30	Fire Ecology/Silviculture
Epperson, Bryan K.	13	0.70	0.00	0.30	Forest Genetics
Fried, Jeremy S.	13	0.60	0.00	0.40	Forest Management
Hart, James B., Jr.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Forest Soils
Kamdem, Donatien-Pasca	1 13	0.70	0.00	0.30	Wood Science
Kielbaso, Julian J.	12	0.15	0.25	0.60	Urban Forestry
Kobe, Richard K.	14	0.70	0.00	0.30	Forest Ecology
Leefers, Larry A.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Forest Economics
McDonough, Maureen H.	12	0.15	0.50	0.35	Forest Sociology
Potter-Witter, Karen L.	13	0.20	0.65	0.15	Forest Economics
Ramm, Carl W.	13	0.60	0.00	0.40	Forest Biometrics
Walters, Michael B6	14	0.75	0.20	0.05	Forest Ecology
TOTALS:		6.25	1.60	4.15	
Adjustment for PERM Positi	ions	-0.75	-0.20	-0.05	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		5.50	1.40	4.10	

#### Forestry (continued)

MICL01693*	The National Atmospheric Deposition Program (NADP)	Kobe, R.
MICL01773	Testing Lake States TWIGS: Five- and Ten-Year Growth Projections for Upland Hardwoods	Ramm, C.
MICL01774	Managing the Genetic Diversity of Michigan Pines	Epperson, B.
MICL01805	Bioremediation of Condensate Produced During Conditioning of Veneer Logs	Kamdem, D.
MICL01811	Incorporating Risk, Natural Resources Accounting and Hedonic Valuation in Forestry Decisions	Leefers, L.
MICL01812	Municipal Tree Management	Kielbaso, J.
MICL01845	Long-Term Diameter, Basal Area and Ordered Categorical Responses of Oak and	
	Hardwood Forests	Hart, J.
MICL01869	Forest Management for the Regeneration of Hardwoods and Conifers	Lantagne, D.
MICL01871	Modeling Landscape-Level Variation in Forest Community Dynamics	Kobe, R.
MICL01899	Justice in Public Participation and Natural Resource Decision Making	McDonough, M.
MICL07615	Advanced Technology Applications to Eastern Hardwood Utilization	Kamdem, D.
MICL07623	Advanced Technology Applications to Eastern Hardwood Utilization	Kamdem, D.
MICL07631	Advanced Technology Applications to Eastern Hardwood Utilization	Kamdem, D.

## Geography

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PROJECTS

MICL03373 Impacts of Weather and Climate on Michigan Agriculture

Andresen, J.

#### Horticulture





Wayne H. Loescher, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Beaudry, Randolph M.	13	0.50	0.50	0.00	Postharvest Fruit Physiology
Behe, Bridget K.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Horticulture Marketing
Biernbaum, John A.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Plant Physiology/Floriculture
Cameron, Arthur C.	12	0.70	0.00	0.30	Plant Physiology/Landscape
					Horticulture
Carlson, William H.	12	0.35	0.50	0.15	Floriculture/Physiology and Bedding
Cregg, Bert M.	14	0.50	0.50	0.00	Plant Physiology/Woody Ornamentals
Dilley, David R.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Postharvest Physiology/Pomology

## Horticulture (continued)

	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Edson, Charles E.7	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Integrated Crop Management
Flore, James A.	12	0.65	0.00	0.35	Plant Physiology/Pomology
Grumet, Rebecca	12	0.90	0.00	0.10	Vegetable Breeding/Genetics
Hancock, James F.	12	0.90	0.00	0.10	Small Fruit Breeding/Genetics
Hanson, Eric J.	12	0.35	0.65	0.00	Pomology Small Fruits
Heins, Royal D.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Plant Physiology/Floriculture
Herner, Robert C.	12	0.35	0.00	0.65	Postharvest Physiology/Vegetable Crop
Howell, Gordon S.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Plant Physiology/Viticulture/Enology
Iezzoni, Amy F.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Fruit Breeding/Genetics
Lownds, Norman K.	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Landscape Horticulture/Stress
					Physiology
Nair, Muraleedharan G.	12	0.90	0.00	0.10	Natural Products/Chemistry
Perry, Ronald L.	12	0.50	0.50	0.00	Pomology/Rootstocks
Rowe, D. Bradley	14	0.25	0.00	0.75	Landscape Horticulture
Schutzki, Robert E.	13	0.10	0.00	0.90	Landscape Horticulture
Sink, Kenneth C.	12	0.75	0.00	0.25	Genetics/Plant Breeding
van Nocker, Steven R.	14	0.75	0.00	0.25	Reproductive Development/Genetics
Widders, Irvin E.	12	0.67	0.00	0.33	Vegetable Physiology
Zabadal, Thomas J.	13	0.50	0.50	0.00	Viticulture
Zandstra, Bernard H.	12	0.25	0.75	0.00	Vegetable Crops
TOTALS:		13.97	3.90	8.13	
Adjustment for GREEEN	Positions	-0.25	0.00	-0.75	
ADJUSTED TOTALS		13.72	3.90	7.38	

PROJECTS		
MICL01155*	Postharvest Physiology of Fruits	Dilley, D.
MICL01222*	Plant Germ Plasm and Information Management and Utilization	Iezzoni, A.
MICL01272	Physiology of Carbon Balance in Fruit Crops: Abiotic and Biotic Thresholds	Flore, J.
MICL01305*	Rootstock and Interstem Effects on Pome and Stone Fruit Trees	Perry, R.
MICL01325	Weed Control in Vegetable Crop Management Systems	Zandstra, B.
MICL01428	Sour Cherry and Peach Breeding and Genetics	Iezzoni, A.
MICL01468	Role of Ion Flux and Compartmentation in the Transduction of Environmentally Elicited Signals	Widders, I.
MICL01607	Physiological Adaptation and Cultural Manipulation of Plant Systems	Schutzki, R.
MICL01680	Biologically Active Natural Products and Value-Added Products From Plants and Microbes	
	for Agricultural and Pharmaceutical Use	Nair, M.
MICL01684	Modified Atmosphere Packaging of Horticultural Produce	Cameron, A.
MICL01697*	Decision Support for Design and Control of Plant Growth Systems	Heins, R.
MICL01731	Genetic and Biotechnology Studies for Selected Horticultural Crops	Sink, K.
MICL01778	Environmental and Physiological Variables Effect on Growth, Quality, and Marketability	
	of Garden Crop	Carlson, W.
MICL01810	Genetic Improvement of Strawberries and Blueberries	Hancock, J.
MICL01824	Physiological and Environmental Factors Influencing Growth and Development of Flower Crops	Heins, R.
MICL01839	Efficient Use of Fertilizers in Fruit Production	Hanson, E.
MICL01846	Tomato Ripening Mutants	Herner, R.
MICL01848	Enhancement of Control Over Quality Loss in Horticultural Commodities Following Harvest	Beaudry, R.
MICL01901	Marketability and Performance of Selected Horticultural Products and Services	Behe, B.
MICL01908	Utilization of Chlorophyll Fluorescence in Propagation by Stem Cuttings	Rowe, D.
MICL01927*	Freeze Damage and Protection of Horticultural Species	Howell, G.

#### Horticulture (continued)

MICL01933	Greenhouse Organic Crop Production for Small Farms	Biernbaum, J.
MICL01941	Repellents for Animals Derived From Plant Species	Ries, S.
MICL03218	Vine Culture and Physiology for Best Yield, Fruit Quality and Adaptation to Environmental Stresses	Howell, G.
MICL03305	Viticultural Practices for Mechanical Pruning and Crop Control of Concord and Niagara Grapevines	Zabadal, T.
MICL03375	Plant Science Education Outreach Through the MSU Horticultural Gardens	Lownds, N.
MICL03388	Molecular Biology of Plant Development Relating to the Needs of Michigan Horticulture	van Nocker, S.
MICL07622	Safeguarding the Supply of Specialty Crops for Consumers	Flore, J.
MICL07632	Safeguarding the Supply of Specialty Crops for Consumers	Hanson, E.
MICL08202	Relationship Between Genetic and Hormonal Control of Sex Expression in Cucumis Species	Grumet, R.
MICL09010	Epigenetic Mechanisms and Changes in Gene Expression Associated with Flowering	van Nocker, S.

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Pysarchik, Dawn I.	13	0.31	0.00	0.69	Merchandising Management
Slocum, Ann C.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Apparel Design and Textiles
Sontag, M. Suzanne	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Apparel Design and Textiles
Sternquist, Brenda J.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Merchandising Management
TOTALS:		1.06	0.00	2.94	

PROJECTS		
MICL01442*	Occupational Safety and Health Through the Use of Protective Clothing	Slocum, A.
MICL01775	Processed Foods in India: Consumer Demand and Distribution Systems	Pysarchik, D.
MICL01833	Emerging Free Markets: The Role of Federal vs. Municipal Approved Retail Joint Ventures	Sternquist, B.
MICL03357	Needs of the Michigan Textile/Apparel Industry: Characterization, Assessment and Response Strategies	Sontag, M.
MICL08209	The Food Retailing Industry in People's Republic of China: A Comparison of Behavioral Relationships	Sternquist, B.

## Integrated Plant Systems (Center for)



Mark E. Whalon, Acting

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
DiFonzo, Christina D.	14	0.10	0.40	0.50	Field Crop Entomology/Pesticide Education Coordinator
TOTALS:		0.10	0.40	0.50	

MICL03365	Biology and Management of Insects in Michigan Field Crops	DiFonzo, C.
MICL07616	An Integrated Crop Management System to Reduce Pesticide Use in Asparagus Production	Edson, C.
MICL07634	Michigan Commodity and Pest Management Profiles	Whalon, M.

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PROJECTS

MICL08210 Latinos in the Rural Midwest: Community Development Implications Chapa, J.

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TOTALS:		0.10	0.00	0.90	
Bush, Guy L.	12	0.10	0.00	0.90	Genetics
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST

**PROJECTS** 

MICL08188

Closing Global Nitrous Oxide Cycle: Mechanistic Understanding Flux Partitioning Agricultural Landscapes

Robertson, G.



#### Large Animal Clinical Sciences



Frederik J. Derksen,

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Baker, John C.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Bovine Respiratory Diseases
Erskine, Ronald J.	13	0.25	0.33	0.42	Dairy Cattle Mastitis
Gomez-Duran, Charles O.	14	0.50	0.30	0.20	Swine Veterinary Medicine
Grooms, Daniel L.	14	0.50	0.50	0.00	Beef Disease Management
Herdt, Thomas H.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Cattle Nutrition and Metabolic Diseases
Holland, Robert E.	12	0.34	0.00	0.66	Bovine Enteric Disease
Kaneene, John B.	12	0.14	0.00	0.86	Epidemiology/Disease Impact
Robinson, Norman E.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Respiratory Physiology
Rook, Joseph S.	12	0.40	0.40	0.20	Small Ruminant Animals
Sears, Phillip M.	12	0.35	0.35	0.30	Dairy Disease Management
Straw, Barbara E.	12	0.28	0.50	0.22	Swine Veterinary Medicine
TOTALS:		3.46	2.38	5.16	

#### Large Animal Clinical Sciences (continued)

PROJECTS		
MICL01417*	Bovine Respiratory Disease: Risk Factors, Pathogens, Diagnosis and Management	Baker, J.
MICL01688*	Mastitis Resistance to Enhance Dairy Food Safety	Erskine, R.
MICL01708	Reducing Economic Losses and Food Safety Risks Related to Mastitis	Erskine, R.
MICL01801	Total Quality Management for Disease Control on Swine Farms	Straw, B.
MICL01819	Nutritional Assessment of Animals and Animal Populations by Laboratory Means	Herdt, T.
MICL01820	Assessment and Control of Enteric Pathogens Among Neonatal Calves	Holland, R.
MICL01898*	A National Agricultural Program to Approve Animal Drugs for Minor Species and Uses	Holland, R.
MICL01916	Diagnosis and Prevention of Bovine Viral Diarrhea Virus (BVDV)	Grooms, D.
MICL01917	Bovine Respiratory Disease: Risk Factors, Immunology, Pathogenesis and Control	Baker, J.
MICL01934	Control of Swine Respiratory Disease: Alternatives to the Use of Prophylactic Antibiotics	Duran, C.
MICL03354	Implementing Food Safety Through Total Quality Management On Michigan Dairy Farms	Sears, P.
MICL03355	Perinatal Lamb Mortality and Production Issues Associated with Pasture Lambing Systems	
	in Michigan	Rook, J.
MICL06886	Mucus Secretion in Horse Airways	Robinson, N.
MICL06887	Characterization of a Novel Equine Cartilage Matrix Metalloprotease	Caron, J.
MICL06893	Purification of Bovine Anti-Coliform Antibodies for Passive Immunization Against	
	Coliform Mastitis	Erskine, R.
MICL06894	Development of a Live Attenuated Vaccine Against Haemophilus parasuis	Duran, C.
MICL06895	Epidemiology and Mechanisms of Resistance to Fluoroquinolones in Selected Bovine	
	Bacterial Isolates	Kaneene, J.
MICL07610	Minor Use Animal Drug Program: North Central Region	Holland, R.
MICL07630	Minor Use Animal Drug Program: North Central Region	Holland, R.
MICL07637	Minor Use Animal Drug Program: North Central Region	Holland, R.
MICL08227	Mucus Secretion and Clearability in Equine COPD	Robinson, N.

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PROJECTS

MICL03369 Families, Children and Their Communities: Promoting Behavioral and Social Science Approaches Bokemeier, J.

#### Microbiology



Jerry B. Dodgson, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Bagdasarian, Michael	12	0.39	0.00	0.61	Molecular Biology
Breznak, John A.	12	0.30	0.00	0.70	Microbial Ecology
Champness, Wendy C.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Microbial Genetics
Dazzo, Frank B.	12	0.80	0.00	0.20	Microbial Ecology
de Bruijn, Frans J.	12	0.38	0.00	0.62	Molecular Biology
Hausinger, Robert P.	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Microbial Physiology
Klug, Michael J.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Microbial Ecology
Maes, Roger K.	12	0.03	0.00	0.97	Virology

## Microbiology (continued)

	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Reddy, C. Adinarayana	12	0.46	0.00	0.54	Microbial Physiology/Ecology
Schmidt, Thomas M.	14	0.40	0.00	0.60	Microbial Ecology
Thomashow, Michael F.	12	0.14	0.00	0.86	Plant and Microbial Molecular Genetics
Tiedje, James M.	12	0.15	0.00	0.85	Soil Microbiology
Velicer, Leland F.	12	0.30	0.00	0.70	Virology
TOTALS:		4.50	0.00	8.50	

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PROJECTS		
MICL01154*	Enteric Diseases of Swine and Cattle: Prevention, Control and Food Safety	Maes, R.
MICL01314	The Beneficial <i>Rhizobium</i> -Rice Association	Dazzo, F.
MICL01557	Molecular Genetic Regulation of Streptomyces Antibiotics	Champness, W.
MICL01593*	Advanced Technologies for the Genetic Improvement of Poultry	Dodgson, J.
MICL01628	Analysis of the Genes of Marek's Disease Herpesvirus and the Proteins They Encode	Velicer, L.
MICL01629	Lignin Degradation by Basidiomycete Fungi and Applications	Reddy, C.
MICL01681	Molecular Basis of Symbiotic Plant-Microbe Interactions	de Bruijn, F.
MICL01728*	National Animal Genome Research Project	Dodgson, J.
MICL01757	Understanding the Distribution of Microbial Populations in Soils	Schmidt, T.
MICL01834	Molecular Mechanisms Involved in the Secretion of Pathogenicity Factors Through	
	Bacterial Membranes	Bagdasarian, M.
MICL01857	Physiology and Phylogenetic Diversity of Termite Gut Symbionts	Breznak, J.
MICL01918	Enzymology of Alpha-Ketoglutarate-Dependent Dioxygenases	Hausinger, R.
MICL06890	Recombinant Vaccines for Enhanced Antiviral (Cellular) Immunity	Bagdasarian, M.
MICL08199	Chicken Genome Mapping Using AFLP and Anchor STS Markers	Dodgson, J.
MICL08213	Structural and Mechanistic Analyses of Urease and Allantoinase	Hausinger, R.
MICL08217	Development of Heat-Labile Enterotoxin (LT) as Carrier of Foreign Antigen Epitopes	Bagdasarian, M.
MICL08218	In vivo Expressed Genes of Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae	Mulks, M.
MICL08222	Role of Protein Phosphatase 2C in Lotus japonicus Root Nodule Development	de Bruijn, F.

#### **MSU** Extension

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MICL07628	Management of the North Central Regional Pesticide Impact Assessment Program (NCPIAP) for FY98	Olsen, L.
MICL07633	Management of the North Central Region Pesticide Impact Assessment Program	
	(NCPIAP) for FY99	Olsen, L.
MICL07638	Michigan's CSREES NAPIAP Program — 1999	Olsen, L.
MICL09007	Overseas Technical Cooperation Impact Study: Evaluation of Impact of Overseas Assignments	Andrews, M.

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Edward C. Mather, Acting Director

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Giesy, John P.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Aquatic Toxicology
Zabik, Matthew J.	12	0.84	0.00	0.16	Chemical Fate/Residue Analysis
Zacharewski, Timothy R.	14	0.20	0.00	0.80	Biochemical Toxicology
TOTALS:		1.29	0.00	1.71	

PROJECTS		
MICL01730*	A National Agricultural Program to Clear Pest Control Agents for Minor Uses	Hollingworth, R.
MICL01849	Environmental Dynamics of Xenobiotics in the Environment and Analytical Methods Development	Zabik, M.
MICL01906	Identification and Assessment of Endocrine Disruptors	Zacharewski, T.
MICL01919	Fates and Effects of Potential Endocrine Modulating Compounds in the Environment	Giesy, J.
MICL03364	Improved Microbial Food Safety Through Risk Assessment, Management, Communication	
	and Analysis	Mather, E.
MICL03367	Microbial and Chemical Safety of the U.S. Food Supply	Hollingworth, R.
MICL07613	NC Region IR-4 Leader Lab Program to Clear Pest Control Agents for Minor Uses	Hollingworth, R.
MICL07629	Minor Use Animal Drug Program: Headquarters	Hollingworth, R.
MICL07635	NC Region IR-4 Leader Lab Program to Clear Pest Control Agents for Minor Uses	Hollingworth, R.

#### **Packaging**



Bruce R. Harte, Director

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Clarke, Robert	14	0.50	0.00	0.50	Manufacturing Operations
Downes, Theron W.	12	0.20	0.00	0.80	Packaged Food Quality
Giacin, Jack R.	12	0.59	0.00	0.41	Package Product Interaction
Hernandez, Ruben J.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Package Product Interaction
Lee, Julian J. L.	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	CAP/MAP and Protective Packaging
Singh, Sher Paul	13	0.20	0.00	0.80	Distribution/Transportation/Environmental
					Measuring/Packaging Dynamics
TOTALS:		1.94	0.00	4.06	

PROJECTS MICL01520	Transport Properties of Polymer Films as Related to Quality and Storage Stability of	
	Packaged Products	Giacin, J.
MICL01735	New Reusable Containers for the Fresh Produce and Meat Packaging	Singh, S.
MICL01828	Improving the Quality of Products and Distribution Productivity Through Packaging Innovation	Twede, D.
MICL01831	Design of Plastic Packages for Preserving the Quality and Safety of Food Products	Hernandez, R.
MICL01840	Controlled Atmosphere and Modified Atmosphere Packaging of Fresh Produce	Lee, J.
MICL01921	Automatic Data Capture for Packaging Line Forces That Impact Operations	Clarke, R.



## Park, Recreation and Tourism Resources

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Joseph D. Fridgen, Chair

#### FACULTY

Vander Stoep, Gail A.	13	0.25	0.25	0.50	Communications/Human Dimensions
Stynes, Daniel J.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	System Analysis/Research Methods/Economics
Propst, Dennis B.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Psychology/Planning/Economics
Nelson, Charles M.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Natural Resource Management
Holecek, Donald F.	12	0.75	0.25	0.00	Resource Economics/Tourism
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
	Nelson, Charles M.	Holecek, Donald F. 12 Nelson, Charles M. 13 Propst, Dennis B. 13	Holecek, Donald F.       12       0.75         Nelson, Charles M.       13       0.25         Propst, Dennis B.       13       0.50	Holecek, Donald F.       12       0.75       0.25         Nelson, Charles M.       13       0.25       0.00         Propst, Dennis B.       13       0.50       0.00	Holecek, Donald F.       12       0.75       0.25       0.00         Nelson, Charles M.       13       0.25       0.00       0.75         Propst, Dennis B.       13       0.50       0.00       0.50

#### PROJECTS

MICL01766	Social Science and Communications in Outdoor Recreation Resource Management	Vander Stoep, G.
MICL01903	Extent and Role of Participation and Choice in Outdoor Recreation Planning and Management	Propst, D.
MICL03280	Travel, Tourism and Recreation Resource Center	Holecek, D.
MICL03362	Economic Impacts of Recreational Tourism	Stynes, D.
MICL09008	Development of Nationally Representative Visitor Spending Profiles	Propst, D.
MICL09009	Corps of Engineers Marina User/Dock Owner Expenditure Study	Propst, D.

### **Physiology**

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William S. Spielman,

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TOTALS:		0.90	0.00	1.10	
Jump, Donald B.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Molecular Endocrinology
Dukelow, W. Richard ,	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Reproductive Physiology
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST

MICL01892	Dietary Fat Regulation of Hepatic Gene Expression
MICLOSSE	Distance Fat Regulation of Henotic Clycolytic Gene Expression

Jump, D.

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### Plant Research Lab (MSU-DOE)

TOTALS:

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Kenneth Keegstra, Director

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	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
de Bruijn, Frans J.	12	0.38	0.00	0.62	Molecular Biology
Howe, Gregg A.	14	0.23	0.00	0.77	Plant/Insect Defense
Walton, Jonathan D.	12	0.23	0.00	0.77	Plant Pathology

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	ECTS CL01886	Mechanisms of Fungal Pathogenicity	Walton, J.
MIC	L01900	Molecular Genetics of Plant Defense Against Insects	Howe, G.
MIC	L03376	Interdiscipling Research and Training in the Plant Sciences	Keegstra, K.
MIC	L08178	Control of mRNA Stability in Dicotylendonous Plants	Green, P.
MIC	CL08197	Photoperiodic Control of Gibberellin Metabolism in Long-Day Rosette Plants	Zeevaart, J.
MIC	L08221	Effects of Engineered Plant Respiration on Growth/Yield and Low Temperature Response	McIntosh, L.
MIC	L08230	Co-Evolution of Phytotoxin Production and Auto-Immunity in a Pathogenic Fungus	Walton, J.
MIC	CL08233	Pseudomonas syringae pv. Tomato Hrp-Controlled Extracellular Proteins	He, S.

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Richard E. Groop, Director

PROJECTS

MICL01835 Applications of Spatial Information Technologies to Management of Agriculture and Natural Resources

### Resource Development

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Cynthia C. Fridgen, Chair

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Beckwith, JoAnn	14	0.25	0.25	0.50	Environmental Planning and
					Management
Bingen, R. James	13	0.40	0.00	0.60	International Development
Bronstein, Daniel A.	12	0.40	0.00	0.60	Environmental Policy and Law
Dersch, Eckhart	12	0.25	0.50	0.25	Natural Resources Management
Edens, Thomas C.	12	0.55	0.00	0.45	Resource Economics and Policy
Kakela, Peter J.	12	0.70	0.00	0.30	Natural Resources Management
Kaplowitz, Michael C.	14	0.25	0.15	0.60	Land Use Law
Norris, Patricia E.	13	0.08	0.20	0.72	Land Use
Rosenbaum, Rene P.	13	0.40	0.00	0.60	Community Economic Development
Schultink, Gerhardus	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Natural Resources Management
Witter, Scott G.	13	0.30	0.00	0.70	Natural Resources Management
TOTALS:		4.08	1.10	5.82	

PROJECTS		
MICL01536	Comparative Indicators for Rural Development, Environmental Planning and Public Policy	
	Formulation.	Schultink, G.
MICL01789	Land Transformation in the Rural-Urban Interface	Edens, T.
MICL01817	Watershed Management in the Rural/Urban Fringe	Witter, S.
MICL01851	Water Resource Protection at the Interface of the Hydrologic Cycle and Cultural Influences	Dersch, E.
MICL01859	Farm, Rural and Environmental Groups in Agricultural Research and Development Policy	Bingen, R.
MICL01860	Pesticide Policy Studies	Bingen, R.
MICL01870	Use of Impact Assessment in Policy Formulation	Bronstein, D.
MICL03352	Mineral Lands Development, Energy Requirements and Environmental Impacts	Kakela, P.
MICL03358	Economic Issues of Latinos in Rural Settings and Their Impact on Michigan Agriculture	Rosenbaum, R.

### Sociology

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FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Aronoff, Marilyn	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Rural Communities/Environment
Busch, Lawrence M.	12	0.47	0.00	0.53	Agriscience Structure/Agricultural Research Policy
Harris, Craig K.	13	0.50	0.00	0.50	Sociology of Agriculture
Johnson, Nan E.	12	0.50	0.00	0.50	Demography
Rudy, Alan P.	14	0.30	0.00	0.70	Sociology of Agriculture
Vanderpool, Christoph	ner K. 12	0.20	0.20	0.60	Environmental and Food Safety
TOTALS:		2.22	0.20	3.58	

## Sociology (continued)

PROJECTS		
MICL01612	Strategic Analysis of Technical Change in Commodity Subsectors	Busch, L.
MICL01751*	Rural Labor Markets in the Global Economy	Bokemeier, J.
MICL01829*	Rural Restructuring: Causes and Consequences of Globalized Agricultural and Natural	
	Resource Systems	Harris, C.
MICL01842*	Commodities, Consumers and Communities: Local Food Systems in a Globalizing Environment	Busch, L.
MICL01864	Rural Family Ties and Well-Being: Social Capital, Community Context and Household Strategies	Bokemeier, J.
MICL01874	Social Processes in Disability and Death for Nonmetro Americans: A Longitudinal Study	Johnson, N.
MICL01926	The Management of Risk in Agrifood and Natural Resource System	Harris, C.
MICL01939	Community Responses to Hazardous Waste Crises: Alternatives to Increased Public	
	Involvement	Aronoff, M.
MICL08206	Social Reduction of Disability for Nonmetro Elders: A Longitudinal Study	Johnson, N.

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Chair			

FACULTY					
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST
Bell, Thomas G.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Comparative Pathology/Platelet Function
Harkema, Jack	12	0.31	0.00	0.69	Toxicology
Holland, Margo S.	14	0.30	0.00	0.70	Molecular Pathology
Padgett, George A.	12	0.25	0.00	0.75	Comparative Veterinary Pathology
Patterson, Jon S.	13	0.25	0.00	0.75	Veterinary Pathology/Infectious Disease/Animals
TOTALS:		1.36	0.00	3.64	

PROJECTS		
MICL01720	Immunohistochemical Diagnosis of Infectious Diseases	Patterson, J.
MICL01776	Effects of Endotoxin and Other Organic Dust Constituents on Airway Mucous Cells	Harkema, J.
MICL01847	Osteochondrosis: Development of Procedures to Control or Mitigate the Effects of This Disease	Padgett, G.
MICL01882	Molecular Aspects of Marek's Disease Virus Oncogenicity	Holland, M.
MICL06882	Hemorrhagic Disorder in Noncytopathic Type II Bovine Virus Diarrhea Viral Infection	Bell, T.



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FACULTY

TOTALS:		0.10	0.00	0.90	
D'Itri, Frank M.	12	0.10	0.00	0.90	Environmental Recycling
	RANK	MAES	MSUE	JOINT	AREA OF INTEREST

Jon F. Bartholic, Director

PROJECTS
MICL01838

Development of a Knowledge-Based Decision-Support System for Integrated Landscape/Watershed Planning

Bartholic, J.

#### **Faculty Appointments**

	MAES	MSUE	JOINT
GRAND TOTALS	135.43	43.95	137.12

- <sup>1</sup>Elton Smith Endowed Chair
- <sup>2</sup>C.S. Mott Distinguished Professor of Sustainable Agriculture
- <sup>3</sup>Hannah Professor for Microbial Ecology and Plant Sciences
- 4Nowlin Professor for Water Research (50 percent of the appointment is paid by the endowment)
- <sup>5</sup>Clinton Meadows Chair
- <sup>6</sup>Partnerships for Ecosystem Research and Management (PERM) positions with salary funded by the Michigan Department of Natural Resources
- <sup>7</sup>GREEEN (Generating Research and Extension to meet Economic and Environmental Needs) appointed faculty

### Futures Magazine

Futures is the quarterly magazine of the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station (though in 1999, Vol. 16, Nos. 3 and 4 were combined into one issue; likewise and Vol. 17, Nos. 1, 2 and 3). If you live in the United States and would like to receive Futures free of charge, write to: Futures Editor, 310 Agriculture Hall, MSU, East Lansing, MI 48824-1039, call 517-432-1555, or e-mail depolo@msu.edu. Futures is also available for viewing on the MAES Web site at <a href="http://www.maes.msu.edu">http://www.maes.msu.edu</a>.

#### Fall 1998/Winter 1999 Vol. 16, Nos. 3 and 4 Food safety: Managing Risk — Educating People



Food safety once again made headlines in Michigan at the end of 1998. News stories reported that the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention were blaming Listeriacontaminated hot dogs and lunchmeat from a processing plant in Zeeland for the deaths of 12 people and sickness of 79 others. Then the U.S. Department of Agriculture ordered Southfield-based Thorn Apple Valley,

Inc., to recall 30 million pounds of hot dogs and lunchmeat. No illnesses or deaths were attributed to the products, but the plant was cited for unsanitary conditions. Then Detroit-based Hygrades, also owned by Sara Lee, took 72,000 packages of hot dogs made at its Detroit plant out of stores after the Michigan Department of Agriculture found *Listeria* bacteria in sandwich spread made from the hotdogs.

Because *Listeria* is tasteless and odorless, is found virtually everywhere in the environment — in soil, dust, water, sewage — and, unlike most bacteria, can continue to multiply in colder temperatures, these outbreaks were frightening and confounding to all involved. The methods used to inspect the food supply were publicly questioned. How could this happen in what everyone agrees is the world's safest food supply?

Several times over the past five years, *Futures* has focused on food safety and the myriad questions attached to this broad, many-headed Hydra of a problem. On the surface, the issue seems relatively simple: everyone — consumers, producers and researchers — wants a safe and plentiful food supply. So if we all agree, why is there so much confusion and controversy surrounding the subject?

Untangling the web of food safety issues requires one to consider all the social, cultural, economic and environmental aspects of producing food — not a small task. We revisit the idea of food safety in this issue of *Futures* to update readers on the latest MAES research in the area, as well as to discuss some of the broader issues that influence policies regarding food safety and research.

The concept of risk plays an important role in understanding food safety. MSU is home to the National Food Safety and Toxicology Center (NFSTC), which recently hosted a

conference on risk analysis for people working on food safety at all levels. Several MAES researchers affiliated with the NFSTC are using risk assessment as a framework to study risks associated with food. Closely related to risk assessment is the idea of risk management — figuring out ways to minimize risk at specific points in the food system. Scientists agree that this is most effective when several links of the food chain, from producer to consumer, are targeted simultaneously.

In 1996, the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA) was passed unanimously by Congress and signed into law by President Clinton. The FQPA makes dramatic changes in the way the Environmental Protection Agency sets tolerances for pesticide residues on food crops and will likely affect the availability of pesticides for both food and non-food uses. To date, implementation of the FQPA has been slow, but many growers are fearful they may lose the use of certain pesticides that have been essential to producing high-quality crops in amounts that are profitable. Consumers are concerned that, while the implementation process inches along, they and their children are being exposed to levels of pesticides that may be unsafe. MAES scientists are working to help growers, consumers and industry representatives sort through the legislation and the issues surrounding it.

In 1994, the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) was implemented in the United States. NAFTA contains provisions for sanitary (human and animal health) and phytosanitary (plant health) measures that are modeled on those in the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT). These measures, though intended to ensure the safety of the global food supply, can be used to restrict trade when countries implement them for protectionist purposes. Despite pages of agreements and articles, the line between food safety and free trade can be blurry and indistinct. Countries disagree over the validity of safety assertions, especially when lower priced imports threaten to damage a country's domestic producers. As trade agreements between countries have increased, non-tariff barriers such as food safety regulations have become more important. MAES researchers are working with Michigan growers, processors and exporters to help them understand NAFTA and GATT provisions and keep Michigan products flowing to other countries.

Food safety research is an important area of emphasis for the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station. *Futures* will continue to examine the topic as new research results are reported and new issues emerge to ensure that Michigan people have access to the latest information.

#### Spring/Summer/Fall 1999 Vol. 17, Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Lawn and Garden Research



It's impossible to imagine life in Michigan without lawns, trees, flowers and shrubs. Even in the steel and concrete corridors of Detroit, Grand Rapids, Flint and Lansing, diligent homeowners lovingly tend their yards and gardens, no matter how small. Apartment dwellers decorate balconies and fill window boxes with colorful pots of impatiens and geraniums. The pink

and white blossoms of flowering crabapple trees and the fins of tulip leaves peeking out from the soil announce spring with a beautiful flourish. Tourists drive hundreds of miles to more rural areas to gaze at the royal reds and golds of fall leaves or to be inspired by one of the state's public gardens.

Though it may seem ulikely for a state so far north, Michigan is the third largest wholesale horticulture retailer in the country, behind perennial front-runners California and Florida. Michigan commercial growers estimated the wholesale value of their crop in 1998 at \$235 million, up 11 percent from 1997. Michigan leads the nation in value of sales for 10 floriculture crops and is ranked second in national sales in five more. The state's greenhouse space increased 15 percent in the past year; only California and Florida have more total greenhouse cover.

Michigan also boasts the third largest number of golf courses in the country, many of them world-class.

At Michigan State University, Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station-funded scientists are working across a range of disciplines to assist the floriculture, nursery, landscape, turfgrass and horticulture industries in finding solutions to the problems and issues they face. Working in tandem with representatives of each commodity, the researchers are uniquely positioned to provide information that is relevant and quickly accessible to the people who most need it.

In this issue of *Futures*, we profile just a small fraction of the work going on in lawn and garden research to help keep the industry in top form.

At the request of growers in the state, a trio of horticulture scientists has been working since 1993 to develop step-by-step flowering prescriptions for certain perennials. The researchers

have determined the exact time for each production step so growers can work backward from a designated date when the plants are due in stores. For example, if lavender needs to be in flower and in stores on June 1, growers now know that they can produce a flowering lavender plant in seven weeks by manipulating temperature and the amount of light the plant receives.

MSU is home to the Robert Hancock Turf Center, a research facility where turfgrass scientists study everything about turf, from testing new grass varieties to controlling insects, weeds and diseases, and minimizing the impact of turf maintenance on the environment. The center also hosts annual field days for the Michigan Turfgrass Foundation, the Golf Association of Michigan and Turf Producers International so industry professionals can meet with researchers face to face.

The Michigan Turfgrass Environmental Stewardship Program, the first program of its kind in the country, is a partnership between MSU, the Michigan Turfgrass Foundation, the Golf Association of Michigan, the Michigan Department of Agriculture and the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality. The program allows golf course superintendents to evaluate their management practices and offers information and education on the latest ideas, research and regulations.

Because ornamental, nursery and landscape businesses sell living organisms and services related to those living things, not reams of paper or boxes of paperclips, they have to market themselves differently than a computer retailer or a grocery store. To assist these businesses in reaching out to consumers and to keep them on the cutting edge of research and technology, the MAES has assembled a cadre of scientists specializing in marketing, management and propagation who are working with industry representatives to identify and solve problems.

The research going on in ornamental horticulture, nursery and landscape horticulture, floriculture and turfgrass in the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station mirrors the diversity of these industries. We hope you find these updates informative.

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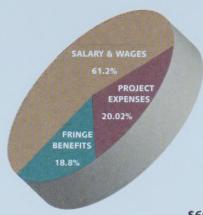
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July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999

### DISTRIBUTION OF APPROPRIATED FUNDS



#### INCOME:

\$66,075,402

Federal Appropriations	
Hatch	\$ 3,877,510
McIntire-Stennis	\$ 206,354
Hatch RRF	\$ 929,643
Hatch Animal and Disease, Section 1433	\$ 77,466
State Appropriations	
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS:	
Grants — Federal, State and Private	

#### **EXPENSES:**

\$66,075,402

Salaries	\$21,632,657
Fringe Benefits	\$ 6,659,820
Project Expenses	\$ 7,066,796
Grants — Federal, State and Private*	\$30,716,129

#### Personnel

(Full-time Equivalents Funded From Appropriated Funds)

Research Staff **		156.27
Professors	76.62	
Associate Professors	28.72	
Assistant Professors	24.11	
Research Associates and Specialists	26.82	
Support Staff		156.30
<b>Support Staff</b> Administrative Professionals	75.53	156.30
**	75.53 25.12	156.30
Administrative Professionals		156.30
Administrative Professionals Supervisors	25.12	156.30

<sup>\*</sup> Grants are reported using most recent three-year average

<sup>\*\*</sup> Does not include department chairpersons/unit administrators





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